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*Fruitful Festival*  
**Acushnet's 18th Annual Apple-Peach Celebration**

By Kenneth J. Souza

This weekend marks the eighteenth annual Acushnet Apple-Peach Festival, a memorable tradition which recalls the origin of agricultural roots and the reaping of a fruitful harvest for which the town has become known. Started in 1979 to promote the apple and peach growers in Acushnet, the festival has expanded over the years to become the town's single biggest event.

As always, the festival will feature over 60 crafts booths, about a half dozen food booths, and various games and entertainment for young and old alike. Free shuttle bus service will be provided from the parking lot at the Acushnet Elementary School on Middle Road to the festival grounds and will depart every half-hour. Based on past years, an estimated 7,000 people are expected to attend the two-day event which draws people from as far away as Florida.

"We're expecting anywhere from 5,000 to 7,000 people this weekend," said Apple-Peach Festival Committee Treasurer Louise Richard. "We're going to have Kiddie Land again this year ... with the bubble bounce (and other games) for the kids. We're also going to have about 64 craft booths and seven food booths ... serving linguixa, caçoila, carne d'espito, hamburgers, hot dogs, and French fries."

Ms. Richard also recommended sampling the homemade lemonade which will be sold at one of the booths and also a new offering of "plum onions" which are cooked and eaten like an appetizer. "I haven't tried them, but they tell me they're delicious," she said.

Sunday will also kick off with the Acushnet Apple-Peach Festival Parade at 10:30 am which will step off from Pope Park and proceed along the 3.9-mile route toward the festival grounds on Main Street. The route should take about one-and-a-half hours to complete, and parade participants can expect to arrive at the grounds before noon.

"We try to set up (the parade) so we have a little variety," Ms. Richard said. "We expect the Acushnet Board of Selectmen to march, along with the Mattapoisett Fire Department, and hopefully the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen."

Ms. Richard also urged people to park their vehicles at the Ford Middle School and take advantage of the shuttle bus which will bring them to and from the festival grounds. The shuttle will run every half-hour, with the last shuttle departing at 5:00 pm on each afternoon.

The eighteenth annual Acushnet Apple-Peach Festival will be held on Saturday, September 6 and Sunday, September 7 at the Long Plain Museum grounds on Main Street in Acushnet (north of Route 105). In addition to games, rides, food and craft booths, the following entertainment will be provided throughout the

weekend:

■ **Saturday, September 6**

- 10:00 am to 11:00 am - To Be Announced;
- 11:00 am to 12:00 noon - Susan's Dance Studio;
- 12:00 noon to 1:00 pm - Naked City (rock and

roll);

- 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm - Christopher Richards;
- 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm - Blues Alley;
- 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm - Good Fella's (rhythm and

blues/rock and roll).

■ **Sunday, September 7**

- 10:00 am to 11:00 am - To Be Announced;
- 11:00 am to 12:00 noon - Fairhaven Martial Arts;
- 12:00 noon to 1:00 pm - Doug Mills (original);
- 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm - Tinkers Two (Irish music);
- 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm - Best Kept Secret (rock and

roll);

- 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm - The Medicine Man (rock and roll).

The 1997 Apple-Peach Festival Committee consists of Tom Fortin (Chairman); Jerry Sounik (Vice Chairman); Louise Richard (Treasurer); and Sue Picard (Secretary).

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*On the cover: Apples and peaches are blooming in time for the Acushnet Apple-Peach Festival which will take place this weekend. The event will include an array of food, crafts, games and entertainment — not to mention the Apple-Peach Festival Parade on Sunday, September 7 beginning at 10:30 am. (Wanderer file photo).*

*Cover insert: Members of last year's Sippican Choral Society rehearse in Marion for one of their upcoming concerts. The group is beginning their 1997-1998 season next week with their first rehearsal slated for Monday, September 8. (Wanderer file photo).*

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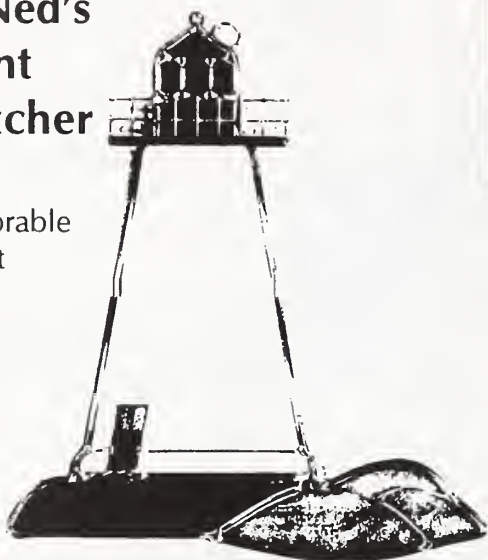
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*Seeking Singers***Sippican Choral Society Begins Season**

The Sippican Choral Society will begin the 1997-1998 season with its first regular rehearsal on Monday, September 8 at the Congregational Church Community Center in Marion. New members are welcome to join the chorus simply by coming to the first rehearsal.

Rehearsals begin promptly at 7:30 pm every Monday evening, but singers are asked to arrive by 7:15 pm for the first rehearsal in order to register and receive music. Parking is available in the Marion General Store parking lot on Front Street in the village.

All voices are welcome (soprano, alto, tenor and bass), and tenors are especially encouraged to sing with the chorus this year. As always, everyone who has sung with the chorus in past years will be welcomed back.

Peter West, director of the chorus, requests that both returning members and new members who, for good reason, cannot make the first rehearsal should call him at 758-4553 or Chorus President Phil Zeimet at 758-6289 to let them know they intend to sing this year.

The Choral Society's thirty-third Annual Christmas Concert will be on Saturday, December 7 and will feature two major pieces: the *Mass in B* by Franz Schubert and Samuel Barber's *Agnus Dei*.

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Now in its thirty-third season, the 90-member Sippican Choral Society is under the direction of Peter West, with Corrine Peck as accompanist. The group performs at least two concerts every year, singing the works of the world's great composers, as well as works from the musical theater.

Last December, for instance, the chorus performed Haydn's *Te Deum* and J. S. Bach's "Gloria" from his *Christmas Cantata*. This past spring the Sippican Choral Society sang with the New Bedford Choral Society and the Concord Chorus in two performances of

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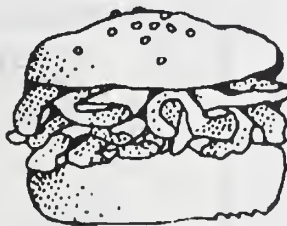
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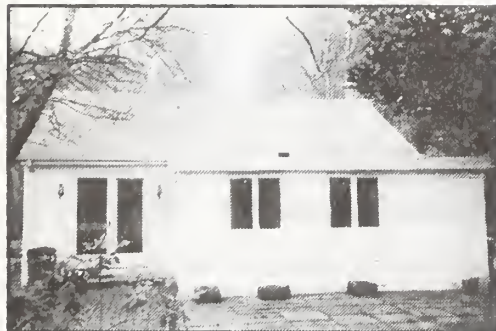


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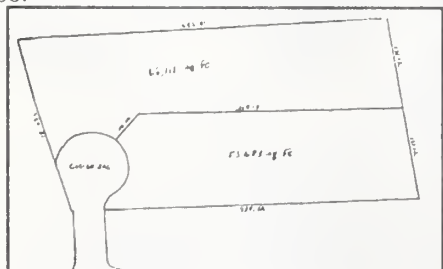


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For further information about singing in the Sippican Choral Society this year, please call Phil Zeimet at 758-6289 or Peter McDonald at 295-7119.

## Mattapoisett Selectmen's Meeting

September 2, 1997

By Pamela L. Sylvia

A regular meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, September 2 at 7:00 pm by Chairman John N. DeCosta. Also present were Selectman Paul R. Lambalot, Selectman Michele Bernier, and Executive Secretary Carol Adams.

After approving the minutes from the meetings of July 22, August 5, August 27, and the minutes from the Executive Sessions of August 5, August 11, and August 27, the board read over the incoming correspondence for the week, including:

- A letter informing the public that the Veterans Office will be open Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm beginning September 1, 1997;

- A letter from Patricia Gardiner, Executive Director of Hearts and Hands, requesting the board consider waiving the building fees for the Hearts and Hands project proposed at the Dunseth property (Seahorse property on Route 6). Both Chairman DeCosta and Selectmen Bernier agreed to waive the fees. The motion was carried and passed unanimously;

- A memo was received from the Natural Resource Officer Brian Nunes recommending that the scallop season open effective November 1, 1997;

- Patrick Moynihan, Secretary of the Office of Transportation and Construction, sent a letter commending the reconstructing of the Southeastern

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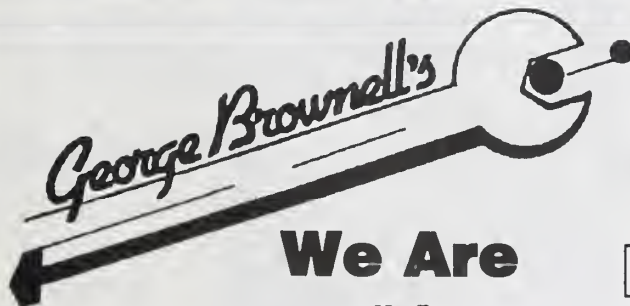
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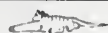
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Selectman Bernier then raised the issue that a few months ago she spoke informally with the Assistant Attorney General over this specific issue. Selectman Bernier was given the advice not to discuss the issue in Executive Session — the public had a right to know what was occurring. Town Counsel stressed again the importance of holding the meeting in Executive Session. This time, Chairman DeCosta and Selectman Lambalot agreed with him.

With a vote of two in favor and one against, the

Board of Selectmen moved to enter into Executive Session. Before the motion, Selectman Bernier expressed her disapproval. "I have a moral problem with this, whether Mr. Perry weighs this," she said. "I would rather wait and get a written decision."

Selectman Bernier went on to say that she wanted to speak with Mr. Perry further about holding the meeting in Executive Session, but could not. "I'm pissed with you Dan for putting me in this position," she told him.

At 7:45 pm, the board went into Executive Session to discuss this matter and would thereafter adjourn for the evening.

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September 2, 1997

By Kenneth J. Souza

A regular meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, September 2 at 7:00 pm by Chairman Loretta B. Schaefer. Also present were Selectman Albert E. Winters, Selectman Jonathan "Jody" Dickerson, Executive Secretary Ray Pickles, and Secretary Helene Craver.

After a moment of silence for Milton Laycock, a longtime town resident and employee who recently passed away, at 7:00 pm the board first met with Nancy Leonardo of MediaOne regarding the cable company's

recent announcement that they will no longer be offering FM service to Marion cable subscribers as part of their new restructuring.

Chairman Schaefer explained that with the recent changes in MediaOne service, the town was never made aware or told that any services would be ceased. "In (contract) negotiations we were told we would not be losing any services, only gaining them," she said.

Ms. Leonardo noted that the FM service which had been offered to Marion residents was a "by-product" of early cable service which evolved since many rural areas could not get clear radio reception. "We felt, however, that we could better serve the community with another (television) channel and drop the FM service," she said. "Many customers can seek alternatives ways to get FM reception."

But the board stressed that Marion is a rare area which, geographically, has poor radio reception. As such, many Marion residents have come to rely on the FM service offered through their cable company. "I think the FM service should remain an option for Marion residents," Selectman Winters said. "When we negotiated the contract, we were told we would be getting more services ... but we wouldn't lose anything. That was part of the deal for being the only game in town."

Ms. Leonardo agreed to take these concerns back to MediaOne and, hopefully, come back with a definite

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response to the town. Selectman Winters added that he and other residents would be willing to continue to pay for the FM service.

At 7:10 pm the board opened a pole relocation hearing upon a request from NYNEX to install eight jointly-owned poles along Cross Neck Road. Resident Jeffrey Osborn said he had some reservations about the project, since the proposed plans would call for the poles to be installed along the road where several trees are located, two of which he recently planted in front of his house. "It seems (NYNEX) is going to have to remove quite a few trees along the road," he said.

Chairman Schaefer agreed to continue the hearing

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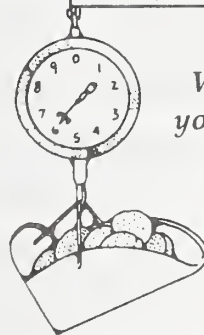
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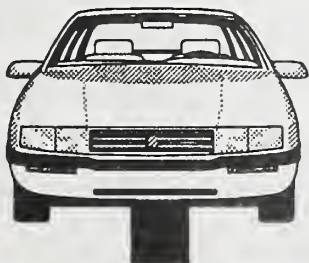
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for two weeks and asked that a representative from NYNEX be present at the next meeting to discuss the exact plans for the poles and if any trees needed to be removed to install these poles.

At 7:30 pm the board met with Constance Walen, Patricia Dawson, and Jonathan Henry regarding Mr. Henry's property on South Street. At the last Selectmen's meeting, the board received a petition from 19 residents requesting that the town enforce the regulations regarding Mr. Henry's building permit and that a garage be moved from the property and a shed be demolished as per the Building Inspector's recommendation.

Mr. Henry first requested that Chairman Schaefer remove herself from the proceedings, claiming that she is "friendly" with Ms. Walen and that she publicly stated her opposition to his project at the last meeting. "Two weeks prior to this hearing, (Chairman Schaefer) was quoted in *The Wanderer* as not being in favor of my request," Mr. Henry said. "She has made up her mind two weeks before this hearing."

Chairman Schaefer noted that this was not a "hearing," per se, and only the Zoning Board of Appeals — of which she is not a member — would render a decision in this matter. "We are still able to offer our (personal) opinions," she said.

Ms. Dawson wanted to know why no action has been taken by the town regarding Mr. Henry's building

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permit which was issued on January 9, 1995. "We just wanted to know why after two and a half years (Mr. Henry) still has not met the requirements of his building permit," she asked.

But Mr. Pickles, who is also the town's Building Inspector, noted that once a Building Permit is issued, if no work is done on the property it would expire six months after the date of issuance. However, Mr. Henry has been working on the project since the Building Permit was issued. "We have several Building Permits in town which are much older than Mr. Henry's," he said. "Once construction has begun, you have to wait until a Certificate of Compliance has been issued. We have some Building Permits in town which have been pending for 10 years."

Mr. Henry noted that he has been working on this project for the past two and a half years, and he has been doing the work himself which is taking longer than expected. "I had to borrow money to finish the project," he said. "I've built the shell of the building and have been working on the interior ... it's being constructed exactly the way it's specified in the Building Permit plans. Instead of raising signatures for a petition against me, maybe you should raise money so I can finish the project."

Mr. Pickles noted that Mr. Henry has a right to use the property under the town's "home occupation" by-law, and as long as he meets the requirements in his

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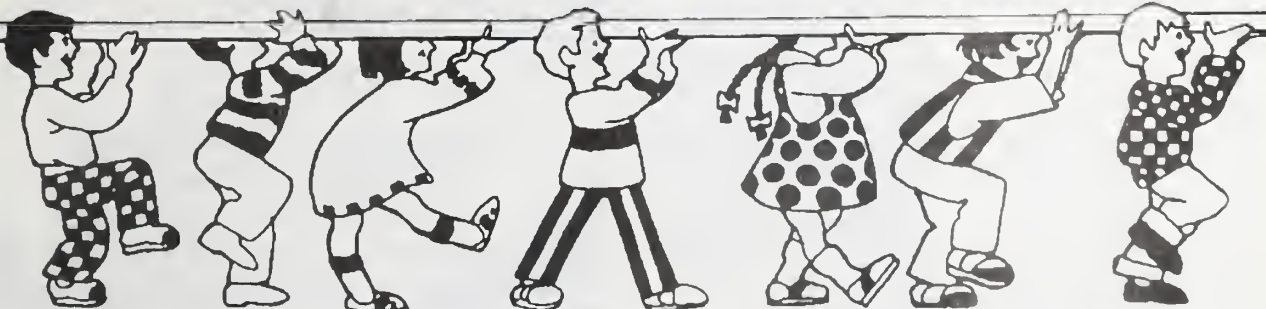
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this extended training course," Mr. Arms wrote.

Chairman Schaefer echoed Mr. Arms' comments and noted that the Marion Board of Selectmen joins him in commending Mr. Bradley for this outstanding achievement. They will be sending a letter to Mr. Bradley offering their congratulations.

At 8:00 pm the board met with about 70 residents and members of the newly-formed Marion Civics Forum (MCF) to discuss the ongoing Bike Path issue. Hilary Gunschel spoke on behalf of the Marion Civic Forum — a group whose members exceed 170 to date — to pose certain questions regarding the proposed "Bike Path" for the Town of Marion and Article 11 of the April 24, 1995 Annual Town Meeting which appropriated \$28,800 to be used for "bike path planning and engineering subject to voters' approval of an override under the provisions of Chapter 59, Section 21C of the Massachusetts General Laws."

"In view of the ambiguities of this original motion and subsequent reports, the Marion Civics Forum requests the current balance of appropriated monies of Article 11 approved on April 24, 1995 be held in escrow," Ms. Gunschel said. "We also request that Article 11 be rescinded and we request that no further action be taken unless a clarified article with specific definition of its intent can be presented to the Marion legislative body at Annual Town Meeting for consideration."

Other members of the MCF took turns in bringing up some of their concerns and asking the Board of Selectmen what the future holds for the "bike path" project as initially proposed. "We need to take a closer look at the realism and go back to review and define the 'charge' made by the people in 1995," said Richard Wickenden, "which not only included but emphasized a

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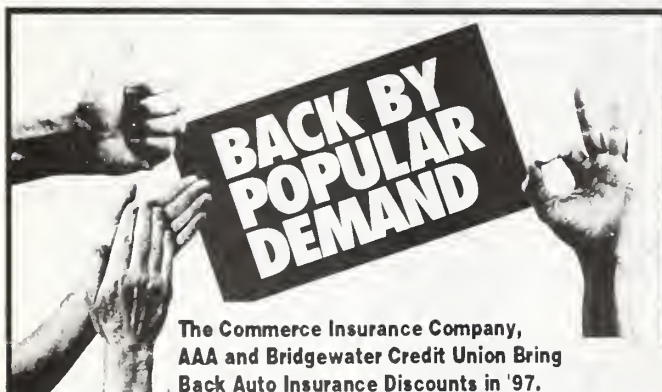
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recreational bike path on the railroad track, not an additional or expanded transportation facility on existing roadways. Successful bike paths in this country are not located in populated areas."

And resident Richard Jardin called for the board to appoint a "bike path" committee that included representatives of town departments which deal with "police and safety, environmental impact, finance and funding, DPW, legal and town law, engineering, and town residents from different regions of town."

Chairman Schaefer noted that neither she nor her fellow Selectmen were ready to answer these questions right now, and she agreed they would take their concerns and suggestions under advisement for a later date. The board agreed to issue a formal response at their September 30 meeting.

After hearing further comments from residents, Chairman Schaefer stressed that she hopes this will not continue to be a divisive issue in town. "I see the lines being drawn in the sand and I'm very disappointed by that," she said. "I would hope that we could continue to work together to benefit the community as a whole."

There being no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 8:45 pm.



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To the Editor:

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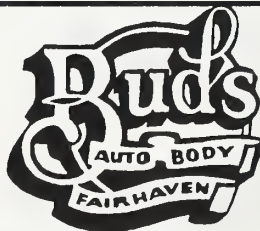
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### **Marion Cultural Council**

Applications are now available at the Elizabeth Taber Library, Spring Street in Marion, or from Council members for the 1998 funding cycle. Deadline for applying for funds is October 15, 1997.

In 1979 a state agency, the Massachusetts Arts Lottery Council, was created to "stimulate and encourage the arts and humanities on the local level." Its sister agency, the Massachusetts Council on the Arts and Humanities, had been established in 1967 to stimulate programs in the arts and humanities through direct grants to individuals and organizations.

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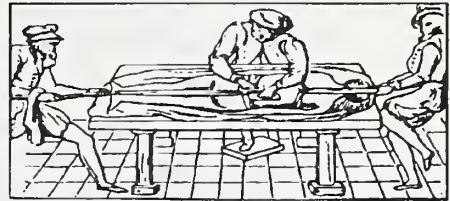
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As a state agency, the MCC receives an annual appropriation, as well as support from the National Endowment for the Arts, a federal agency. In addition, the MCC seeks other public and private funding for special initiatives.

The Marion Cultural Council receives funds from the State Council and then regrants funds to individuals and organizations in the Marion area. Please call Brenda Gibbons, chairman, for further information at 748-1400.

## Fairhaven Fisherman's Yard Sale

The Fairhaven Fisherman's Association, Inc. will sponsor a Benefit Yard Sale on Sunday, September 7 from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm in the Shaw's Cove Liquor Store parking lot (Route 6 in East Fairhaven). The event will help raise money for the needy families fund at Christmas. The rain date for the Yard Sale will be Sunday, September 14.

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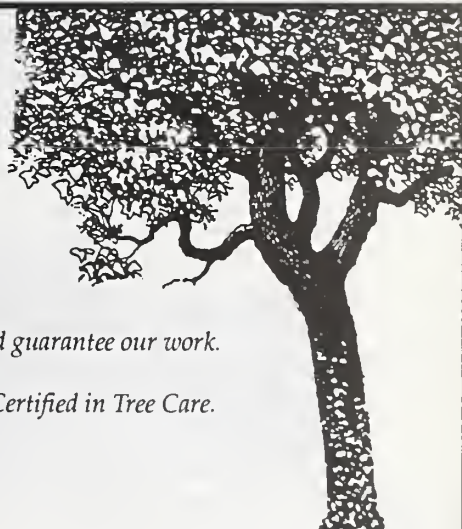
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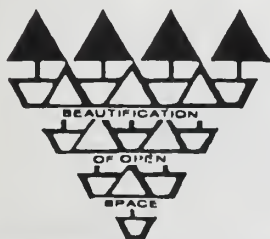
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## Marion Public Hearing

The Marion Planning Board has scheduled a Public Hearing for 7:00 pm on September 8 at the cafeteria in the Sippican School to discuss with residents several proposed by-law changes that will be brought to voters at a Special Town Meeting scheduled for Tuesday, October 28, 1997.

"This is a continuation of our efforts to implement key elements of the 1996 Growth Management Report," said Planning Board Chairman George "T.J." Walker. "Several important by-law changes are being proposed, and it is important for the board to get timely and





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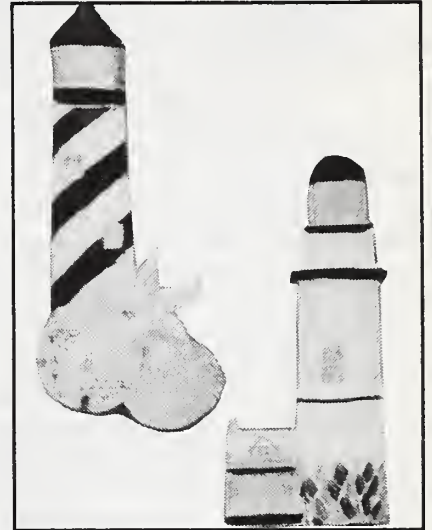
representative input from the town. We hope for a large turnout to discuss these changes."

Among the by-law changes being proposed are zoning changes along Route 6 between Front Street and Point Road, streamlining of current Cluster Zoning By-Laws, expansion of the Wireless Communication Overlay District, creation of a new type of subdivision known as a Residential Compound, and by-laws relating to erosion control. The warrant articles for all proposed zoning by-law changes will be available at the Marion Town House in draft form on September 15.

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The 1997 slate of fall walking tours will include:

- Poverty Point Tour - Saturday afternoon, September 6 at 2:00 pm. The tour begins at Old Stone Schoolhouse, corner of North Street and Castle Avenue with guide Christopher Richard. The tour will last about 75 minutes.
- Fairhaven Center Tour - Saturday afternoon, October 11 at 2:00 pm. The tour begins at Willow Park, corner of Fort and South Streets with guide Christopher Richard. The tour will last about 90 minutes.
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For more information on these tours, please call the Fairhaven Office of Tourism at 979-4085. The Visitors Center is open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm. (The Visitors Center will be closed September 20 through September 24).

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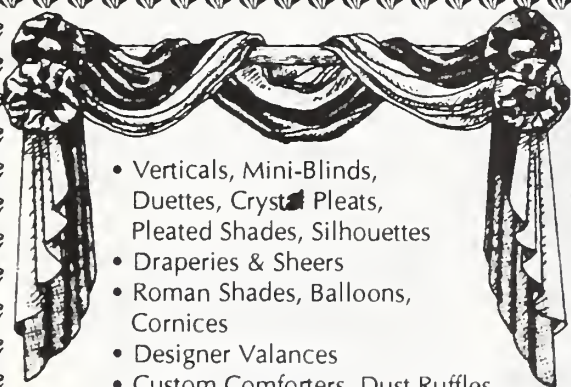
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## **Tri-County Band Starts Rehearsals**

Starting its thirty-sixth season of bringing fine band music to Southeastern Massachusetts, the Tri-County Symphonic Band will begin regular rehearsals on Tuesday, September 9 in the music room of Old Rochester Regional High School in Mattapoisett. Rehearsals are held from 8:00 pm until 9:30 pm and area musicians are invited to contact Music Director George Dietzler either at rehearsal or by calling (508) 824-0286 concerning participation.

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### Free Hypnotherapy in Acushnet

The PACT Program (Prevention and Cessation of Tobacco) is sponsoring a FREE hypnotherapy session for smokers wanting to quit on Thursday, September 11 at 7:00 pm in the Ford Middle School Cafetorium in Acushnet. Community members from Acushnet, Marion, and Rochester are cordially invited to attend.

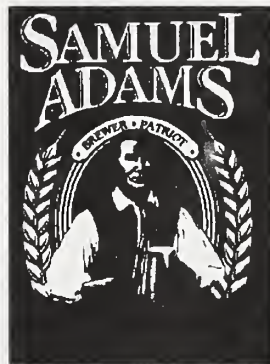
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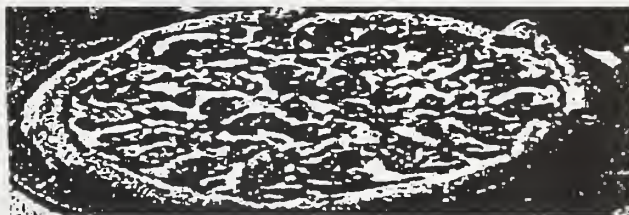
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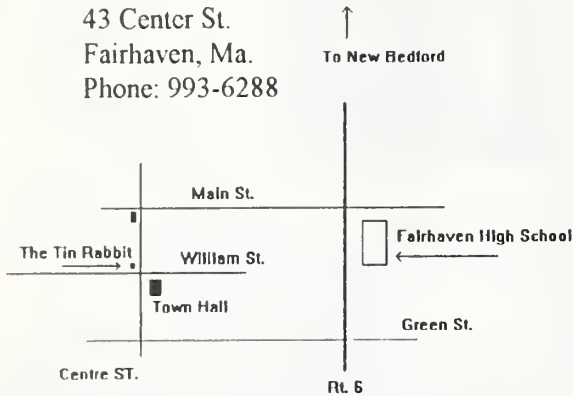
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Rhett Holden-Dodge is President and CEO of the Stop Smoking Institute. "He is a very effective hypnotist, and he also makes the whole process an entertaining learning experience as well," said Coykendall. "He has researched nicotine addiction extensively, so he brings with him all the latest information on nicotine withdrawal and how to cope with it to finally become a non-smoker once and for all."

The PACT Program also sponsors a free weekly quitters support group. She encourages quitters to participate in order to provide the reinforcement they need in the weeks and months ahead. "Relapse is the most critical goal of this support group," she said.

For further information and registration, please call Judith Coykendall at 748-3531. Space is limited, so please register as soon as possible.

### Mattapoisett Public Library

#### Reading Program

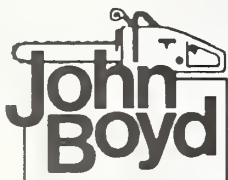
The Mattapoisett Public Library's summer reading program "Take Flight ... Read!" ended with a Reading Awards/Ice Cream Sundae Party on Wednesday, August 13.

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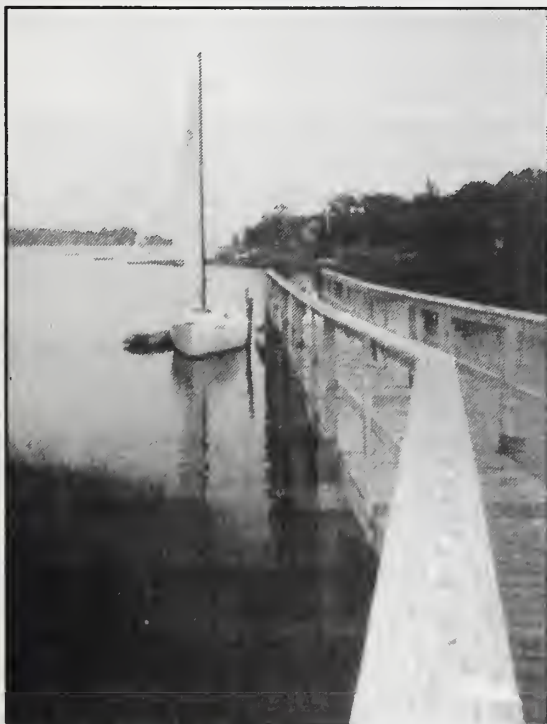
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1,752 books were read by or to children, ages 3 to 12, who participated in the six-week program. Along with independent reading, there were activities and craft programs that celebrated the early settlers of the old West, Native Americans, creative writing, archaeology, and storytelling.

Thanks to Katherine Roberts-Gaudet, the children enjoyed a visit from "Ben Franklin" and listened to a "pioneer" talk about traveling west in a covered wagon. Ms. Edith Andrews, a Gay Head Wampanoag Native American, told of tribal life and how the Wampanoags helped the settlers in the new world. Storyteller Tony Toledo's program, "Hobnobbing Through Summer: A

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Many thanks to the local businesses whose support helped make the summer program a tremendous success: The Toy Box, McDonald's, Shaws Supermarkets (Fairhaven), Carousel Skating Center (Fairhaven), and Hot Wheels (New Bedford).

#### *Library Survey*

The Mattapoisett Public Library received 261 responses to its survey of library use. The questionnaires were mailed the week of July 28 to 3,100 households. The response was about 9 percent, which is good according to Joan Anderson, Chairman of the Library Trustees. She would like to see more surveys returned — especially from males and young males of the library — to get a better understanding of what Mattapoisett residents expect from the library.

The deadline has been extended to September 20. Questionnaires may be picked up at the library and returned to the library or Town Hall, or mailed to: Mattapoisett Free Public Library, P.O. Box 475, Mattapoisett, MA 02739.



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## Marion Art Center

### Photo Exhibit

An exhibition of photography will open at the Marion Art Center on Friday, September 12 with a reception to meet the artists from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. Featured photographers are Claire Hurwitz of North Dartmouth, Cathryn Griffith of Lexington, MA, and Daniel Orfan of Cumberland, RI.

Dan Orfan is a self-taught photographer specializing in color photography of nature and landscapes. With a lifelong appreciation of wildlife and the great outdoors, capturing these images on film is a natural extension of his interests. Dan currently serves as president of Stony Brook Camera Club in Norfolk, MA. He has exhibited in Rhode Island and Massachusetts and recently received first place in the Narragansett Art Festival.

Cathryn Griffith will exhibit color photographs of France where she has visited frequently during the past twenty years recording sights and scenes. Attracted by the light and patterns found in landscapes and urban settings, Ms. Griffith says: "Photography provides a spiritual outlet for me. My senses are constantly stimulated by new smells, sights and sounds. These images of France form part of an ongoing fascination with that country, and

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Claire Hurwitz is known for her watercolor and oil paintings in the area. She recently took up photography and has been successful in this medium as well. She is active in local arts and is a member of the Bierstadt Society in New Bedford.

The Photography Show will run through October 8. The galleries at the Marion Art Center are open Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm, and Saturday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. There will be an additional artists' opening hosted by Cathryn Griffith on Sunday, September 21 from 1:00 to 5:00 pm. The Marion Art Center is located at the corner of Main and Pleasant Streets in Marion. Admission is FREE.

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#### Members Show

The Annual Members Show at the Marion Art Center is now on display with a record number of paintings, photographs, prints, sculptures, and mixed media installed in both the Cecil Clark Davis and Patsy Francis galleries. Eighty pieces were submitted by forty-four artist/members. Included in the exhibition/sale are:

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### *Membership*

The 1997 Membership Drive is underway at the  
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## **Millicent Library - Fairhaven**

### *Preschool Storytime*

Preschool storytime at The Millicent Library in  
Fairhaven will resume on Wednesday, October 1. Children  
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## Adoptable Animals

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In the Lost and Found department this week: a young black and white kitten (obviously someone's pet) was found at Shipyard Park in Mattapoisett on August 23. Please call one of the Animal Umbrella representatives if you're missing one:

- Mary Lou at 994-6168;
- Priscilla at 758-2896;
- Trudy at 990-7806;
- Susan at 758-4044.

## St. Anthony's Church - Mattapoisett

### CCD Classes

Registration for CCD classes were mailed on August 20. Please return them by Monday, September 8. Parents or guardians of children new to the program should contact Natalie Taber at the Religious Education Office (758-3735).

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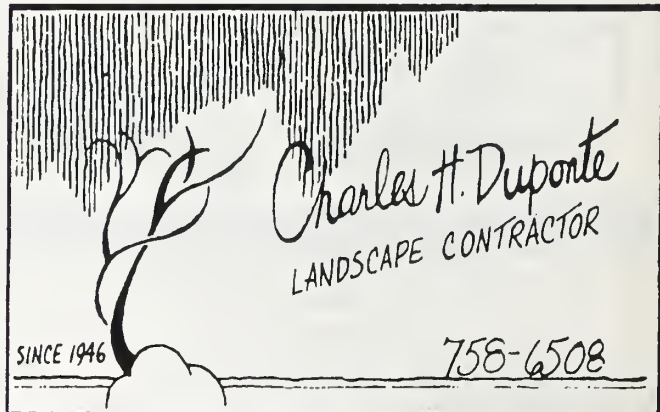
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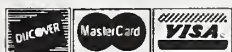
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held on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday according to the CCD calendar. A letter informing you of the day and time of your child's class will be mailed two weeks before classes begin. If you have any questions, please call the Religious Education Office (758-3719).

### **Acushnet Sea Shell Steppers**

The Acushnet Sea Shell Steppers' "Pot Luck Supper" Square and Round Dance will be held on September 6 at 6:30 pm at the Acushnet Elementary School (Middle Road). Those who plan on attending the "Pot Luck Supper" should call Flo at 996-2099 (days) or

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763-3421 (nights). All are asked to bring a dish. Dancing will be from 8:00 to 11:00 pm with Jim Schell as caller and Anna MacDougall as cuer.

### MYAA Meeting and Elections

The Mattapoisett Youth Athletic Association (MYAA) will hold their annual election of officers during their September 10 monthly meeting at 7:30 pm at Old Rochester Regional Junior High School. All parents are encouraged to attend, especially those with younger children.

### Friends of the Elderly - Mattapoisett

#### Board Meeting

A board meeting of the Friends of the Elderly will be held on September 8 at 3:00 pm at the Senior Center.

#### Yard Sale

The Friends will be having a Yard Sale on September 6 at the Knights of Columbus parking lot on

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#### Meeting Correction

The Annual Meeting of the Friends of the Elderly will be held on Wednesday, September 17 (not September 16 as previously reported) at 3:00 pm at the Senior Center, located in the basement of the Knights of Columbus Hall. This meeting is open to all members of the Friends of the Elderly of Mattapoisett. Please try to attend.

A meeting of the Friends of the Elderly Board will be held on Monday, September 8.

### Friends Meetinghouse in Acushnet

The Long Plain Friends Meetinghouse and its Quaker Museum will close its 1997 summer season on Sunday, September 7 when it will be open to the public from 1:00 to 4:00 pm for the last time this summer. The 1759 Meetinghouse, the oldest in the area, is listed on the U.S. Department of Interior's National Register of Historic Places and is located in one of the loveliest spots on the SouthCoast.

Among items of interest are its mid-nineteenth century First Day (Sunday) School library of over 400 inspirational volumes, its three sets of pews dating from 1759, 1865 and 1898 respectively, and its rare books including a 1774 History of the Quakers. A picturesque Quaker burying ground on the property has stones bearing the names of many of the oldest families of old Dartmouth. Admission is FREE.

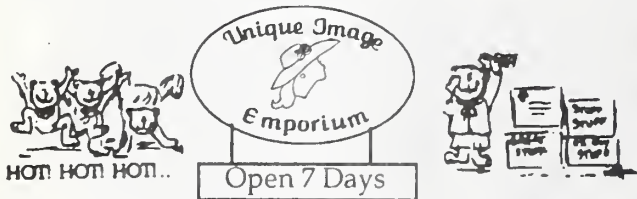
### Mattapoisett Congregational Church

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**Acushnet Library Book Sale**

The Annual Book Sale at the Acushnet Public  
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Saturday, September 6 from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm under the  
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### Mattapoisett Council on Aging

#### *Yard Sale*

A Yard Sale sponsored by the Friends of the Elderly will be held on Saturday, September 6 at the Senior Center. Please leave any items you would like to donate to the sale at the center at the Knights of Columbus Hall (Route 6).

#### *Audio Books*

There are several audio books for you to borrow and many wonderful books, both regular and large print. *COA Luncheon*

The Mattapoisett Council on Aging will hold a Luncheon on Tuesday, September 16 to celebrate 25 years of dedicated service to the seniors of the community. The luncheon will begin at 12:00 noon at the Mattapoisett Senior Center (Knights of Columbus, Route 6). Francis Rowland will present his glass slides program on earlier days in Mattapoisett.

#### *Podiatrist*

Dr. Crowe will be at Village Court on Wednesday, September 10. Please call 758-4110 if you need to make an appointment.

### Power Squadron Boating Course

Registration for the United States Power Squadron's Boating Course will be held at 7:30 pm on Tuesday, September 9 at Old Rochester Regional High

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For more information, please contact Ed Lewis at 758-3876, Dick Fearing at 748-1890, Bob Coburn at 947-4462, Ralph Parker at 995-9204, or Mary True at 763-5241.

### **Sippican Senior Travelers**

The following trips are offered to all interested persons:

- September 14 - 16 - Waterville Valley, NH. Three days, two nights deluxe accommodations. Includes seven meals at Lakeview Inn, Steele Hill Resort, and Mame's Lunch. Visit Castle in the Clouds and Pewter Company. Two and a half hour cruise aboard Mount Washington. Cost is \$219 double occupancy, \$205 triple occupancy, and \$269 single occupancy.

- September 18 - Foxwoods Casino. Departure at 7:15 am from Marion VFW (Route 6). Trip includes \$10 food credit, \$10 match play, \$3 pull tab, and \$2 Keno. Cost is \$13 per person.

- September 25 - Mohawk Trail. Visit Yankee Candle, have lunch at French King with choice of haddock, pot roast, or baked chicken. See the Western Summit and stop at Orchard Farm. Cost is \$36 per person.

- October 16 - Glen Anthony Shaw at the Ha Ke Lau. Lunch includes prime rib or baked scrod. Trip also includes stop at Market Place in Sturbridge. Cost is \$42 per person.

- October 23 - Foxwoods Casino. Departure at 7:15 am from Marion VFW (Route 6). Trip includes \$10 food credit, \$10 match play, \$3 pull tab, and \$2 Keno. Cost is \$13 per person.

- November 13 - The "57" Restaurant in Boston.

Luncheon is London broil or baked scrod. Sit back and enjoy the three-men and three-women entertainment of "The Sentimental Reasons." Cost is \$43 per person.

- November 20 - Foxwoods Casino. Departure at 7:15 am from Marion VFW (Route 6). Trip includes \$10 food credit, \$10 match play, \$3 pull tab, and \$2 Keno. Cost is \$13 per person.

- December 3 - 5 - White Mountains Hotel and Resort. Enjoy show-stopping entertainment, gourmet dining, luxury accommodations and Christmas shopping in North Conway. A guided tour of Mount Washington Valley. Cost is \$235 double occupancy, \$222 triple, and \$305 single.

- December 16 - Foxwoods Casino. Departure at 7:15 am from Marion VFW (Route 6). Trip includes \$10 food credit, \$10 match play, \$3 pull tab, and \$2 Keno. Cost is \$13 per person.

For more information on these or any Sippican Senior Traveler trips, please call Helen LeFort (295-5886) or Natalie Sullivan (748-1467).

### **Mattapoisett Senior Touring Club**

The following trips, slated for the Mattapoisett Senior Touring Club, are open to all interested travellers:

- September 9 - John McDermott, Irish Singer at Venus de Milo in Swansea, MA (drive your car);

- December 1 - Bright Lights, Forest Park, Springfield Christmas Display;

- December 12 through December 14 - White Mountain Hotel and Resort, Christmas entertainment featuring Anna McGoldrick.

For flyers or further information on any of these trips, please call Florence at 748-1918 or Jean at 758-6470.

### **Habitat for Humanity Seeks Volunteers**

The Buzzards Bay Area Habitat for Humanity, a nonprofit ecumenical ministry that works to build decent, affordable houses, is looking for volunteers. Habitat for Humanity International seeks to eliminate poverty housing and homelessness throughout the world. People of all faiths and from all walks of life are encouraged to volunteer.

The Buzzards Bay Area Habitat for Humanity encompasses Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester, Wareham, Fairhaven, and Acushnet. Call Buzzards Bay Area Habitat for Humanity (BBAHFH) at 758-7932 or write to: BBAHFH, P.O. Box 652, Marion, MA 02738-0652 for more information.



## Massachusetts Photo Contest

The Massachusetts Film Office (MFO) and the Massachusetts Office of Travel and Tourism (MOTT) are sponsoring a contest to search for outstanding color views of Massachusetts locations for their 1998 calendar. The calendar is used to promote unique and diverse options for location filming to Hollywood production executives, filmmakers, and travel executives around the world. The winning photos will also be used by the Film Office to promote Massachusetts at marketing events such as the Locations '98 Expo.

Entrants may submit up to four color slides. Entries will be judged by a panel of local experts, and 48 finalists will be reviewed by the MFO staff who will choose 12 winners.

First Prize for the contest will be an overnight stay for two at the Lenox Hotel. In addition to credit in the calendar, 12 winners will also be awarded a one-year membership to the Photographic Resource Center at Boston University, and the 48 finalists will have their works exhibited in historic Doric Hall at the State House.

The deadline to enter is Thursday, October 2, 1997. Applications and rules for entry are available by calling (617) 973-8800 or by writing to the Massachusetts Film Office, 10 Park Plaza, Suite 2310, Boston, MA 02116. You may also e-mail: [film@state.ma.us](mailto:film@state.ma.us).

## Marion Natural History Museum

### *Bees Are Back*

The bees are back at the Marion Natural History Museum! Thanks to museum board member Peter Wilson, they now have a living observation hive to enjoy for the remainder of the warm months. Mr. Wilson will be removing them during the winter, so be sure to stop by and visit the display as well as the many others at the Natural History Museum. Museum hours are 10:00 to 2:00 Wednesday and 10:00 to 12:00 Saturday.

### *Adult Courses*

- Project WET (Watershed Education for Teachers) is a workshop that will introduce and explore the Project WET Curriculum and Activity Guide. The guide, for Kindergarten through Grade 12, is a collection of 65 innovative, water-related activities that are hands-on, easy to use, and fun. By utilizing these activities, educators and young people nationwide will travel through the water cycle, conduct a water festival, solve the mystery of a waterborne disease, debate contemporary water management issues, and hopefully view water not only as a shared resource, but also as a shared responsibility.

The program date is Saturday, September 20 from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm. Bring a box lunch and drink. The cost is \$35 per person, which includes the activity guide and a certification of completion for six PDP (Professional Development Points).

- Explore the size and scale of the universe with astronomer David Pierce. The program will be held on October 2 and 9 from 7:00 to 9:00 pm. The cost is \$25 per person. A certificate of completion for 4 PDP (Professional Development Points) are available upon request.

*Gift Shop*

The Marion Natural History Museum located above the Elizabeth Taber Library on Spring Street in Marion, has many new items in its gift shop. Some of these include educational toys, card games, as well as animal and dinosaur replicas. Other items include favorites such as jewelry made by local crafts people, posters, books, and much more. All proceeds will benefit the museum. The museum's open hours are Wednesday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, and Saturday, 10:00 am to 12:00 noon.

## Fin, Fur and Feather Club

### *Archery Fun Shoot*

The Fin, Fur and Feather Club, 35 Crystal Spring Road in Mattapoisett, will hold a 3-D Archery Fun Shoot, open to the public, on Sunday, September 7 from 7:00 am to 12:00 noon. Entry and first round is \$5, with a re-entry for \$2. The public is also welcome for trapshooting on Sunday from 1:00 to 4:00 pm, weather-permitting, for \$2.25 per round.

### *Silhouette Shoot*

The Fin, Fur and Feather Club, 35 Crystal Spring Road in Mattapoisett, will hold a Silhouette Shoot (.22 rimfire only) for pistol and rifle (open sight or scoped) on Sunday, September 14 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm at \$2 per round. The public is also welcome for trapshooting on Sunday from 1:00 to 4:00 pm, weather-permitting, for \$2.25 per round.

## Hearts & Hands Training

Hearts & Hands is pleased to announce its next training program to begin on September 24. This is a formalized program designed to train volunteers in all aspects of dealing with medically-fragile children and their families. The training program will be held on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 to 9:00 pm for eight weeks. Hearts & Hands is a Christian program that provides free medical, emotional, and spiritual help to medically-fragile children and their families in the

SouthCoast area. For information or registration, please call 758-1300.

## **Fairhaven Council on Aging**

### *Weekly Schedule*

- Monday through Friday - The COA offers medical transportation, a reassurance program for seniors living alone, an elderly nutrition program lunch at the Senior Center (call 24 hours in advance to order a meal), and a social day program.

- Monday, Wednesday and Friday - Walking club (please call the senior center for time and meeting place).

- Tuesday, Thursday and Friday - Grocery shopping trips for seniors without transportation.

- Wednesday - Social group at the senior center, Bingo, cards, socializing and shuffle board from 1:00 pm until 3:30 pm.

- Wednesday and Friday - Poker from 1:00 pm until 3:30 pm.

### *Mall Trips*

- September 10 - Falmouth Mall;

- September 17 - Braintree Mall;

- September 24 - Hanover Mall.

Seating is limited, so call early to make reservations (979-4029).

### *Reassurance Program*

This program is designed to accommodate seniors living alone. A daily phone call to us will ensure all is well. If we do not hear from you we will call to check on you. Anyone wishing to participate in the program, please call the Senior Center at 979-4081.

### *Blood Pressure Clinic*

Blood Pressure Clinics and Geriatric Counseling will be held at Oxford Terrace the first Tuesday of the month from 9:00 to 10:00 am and at McGann Terrace the first Tuesday of the month from 9:30 to 10:30 am. Clinics will also be held at the Fairhaven Senior Center from 10:30 to 11:30 am on the following dates: September 10, 1997; December 10, 1997; March 11, 1998; and June 10, 1998.

## **Friends Looking for Friends**

The Friends of the Friends Meetinghouse, a volunteer group which supports the restoration and operation of the 1759 Long Plain Friends Meetinghouse in Acushnet, is looking for new members. The Friends of the Friends, as they are known among themselves, is a loosely-organized group which collects no dues, asks for no financial contributions from its members, and only meets occasionally. But the work it does, supporting the restoration and cooperating in the activities held at the

venerable meetinghouse, is important and rewarding.

The Long Plain Friends Meetinghouse, located at 1341 Main Street in the northern part of Acushnet, was built in 1759 and operated as a Quaker meetinghouse until 1965. In 1985, a group of Acushnet residents, concerned about the dilapidated condition of the old building, approached the Quakers, who were also worried that they were unable to finance the building's upkeep. This meeting eventually resulted in the property (2.57 beautiful acres, including a burial ground) being turned over to the Acushnet Historical Commission, which then proceeded to get the property listed on the U.S. National Register of Historic Places, and embarked on a five-year-project to completely restore the building. A rededication and the startup of a modest Quaker Museum occurred in 1991.

The Friends of the Friends open the meetinghouse and its museum to the public every Sunday afternoon during the summer months and sponsor three FREE summer concerts on the meetinghouse lawn. For more information, please call 763-5368, 763-5849, or 763-2488.

## **Medal of Honor Veterans**

The Veterans Service Office for the towns of Mattapoisett and Rochester received correspondence from the U.S. Naval Reserve Commander, Captain R. H. Deusch, Naval Air Station, South Weymouth, in reference to Medal of Honor recipients. The Department of Navy is outlining a proposal to erect a memorial dedicated to the Medal of Honor recipients in Plymouth and Norfolk counties. It is imperative that we appropriately recognize and never forget the supreme sacrifices they made for their country.

Any veteran who is a recipient of the Medal of Honor should contact the Office of Veterans Services located in the Mattapoisett Town Hall (758-4114), Tuesday through Thursday, 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. If the office is closed, please leave a brief message with your name and phone number.

## **Tobey Hospital Guild**

The Tobey Hospital Guild Gift Shop is now open on Monday through Friday, 11:00 am to 4:00 pm. The location of the shop is near the new main entrance at Tobey Hospital. The guild hopes that visitors will take advantage of the many new items that have been added to the gift shop.

## **Rochester Council on Aging**

The Rochester Council on Aging is looking for a



person who is interested in filling a vacant position on the COA. Anyone interested should call 763-8723 or send a letter of interest to: Rochester Council on Aging, 1 Constitution Way, Rochester, MA 02770.

## **Plumb Memorial Library - Rochester**

### *Web Site*

For information on everything going on at the library, please check out the library's web site at <http://www.geocities.com/Athens/Acropolis/5769/index.html>. The site has lots of information on the library, as well as links to information on Rochester, surrounding towns, Massachusetts, and New England. We have a page for kids and teens with fantastic links to other sites. There's a health page, a town page, and a reference desk page where you can e-mail the library with reference questions. Answers are guaranteed! Don't forget to let them know you visited the site by e-mailing them at [jhplumb@ultranet.com](mailto:jhplumb@ultranet.com). Don't have Internet access at home? Come to the library and get it for FREE! Internet access provided through the courtesy of Ultramet, Inc.

### *Library Hours*

The Joseph Plumb Memorial Library in Rochester is open on Monday and Tuesday, 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm; Wednesday, 10:00 am to 5:00 pm; Thursday, 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm; and Saturday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. The library is closed on Friday. For further information, please call 763-9593.

## **Property Inspections in Rochester**

Effectively immediately, two representatives from the Rochester Board of Assessors' office will be conducting inspections of properties located in the Town of Rochester. This will be ongoing for the Fiscal Year 1999 Revaluation and also for updating the current Assessors' information for fiscal year 1998. Residents' cooperation will be appreciated. Please call the Assessors' office at 763-5250 if you have any questions.

## **Mattapoisett Housing Authority**

The Mattapoisett Housing Authority has gone through an extensive Management Review by the Department of Housing and Community Development. The review was for a period of three years in which the financials were audited and tests were performed on the daily work to insure that the Authority is conforming to regulations. In April, 1997, the Authority received notification that it has been recertified as an Accepted Housing Authority.

The Mattapoisett Housing Authority is presently

accepting elderly, non-elderly, and family applications for their state-aided housing. Net income limits are \$25,400 for one person, \$29,050 for two persons, and \$32,700 for three persons in a household. There are no asset limits. Once determined eligible, the applicant is placed on a waiting list which does not guarantee immediate occupancy.

Information and application packets may be obtained during the following office hours: Tuesday, 7:00 am to 2:30 pm and Thursday, 8:30 am to 4:30 pm. The office is located at 1 Acushnet Road, Box 53, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. The telephone number is 758-4664.

## **Leisure Learning List**

Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School is maintaining a mailing list of area residents who want to be notified of future adult education courses that will be held evenings at the school in Rochester. "Leisure Learning" is just completing its sixth year of offering twenty-four vocational skills and self-enrichment classes during the regular school year. Residents interested in being on the mailing list or needing more information about the courses can call Donald Mosher at 763-8011, extension 34 anytime during normal school hours.

## **Acushnet Historical Commission**

The Acushnet Historical Commission announced that it is seeking a new Associate Member. Applicants should be residents of Acushnet with a strong interest in local history, particularly the history of Acushnet, able to attend monthly meetings on the third Monday of the month at 7:00 pm, and willing to devote a few hours per month in commission work. An associate member may take part in all discussions but has no vote. If interested or for further information, please call 763-2488.

## **Mattapoisett Town Clerk**

### *1997 Dog Licenses*

The 1997 dog licenses are available. However, the Dog Officer will be continuing to swear out complaints in the Fourth District Court against the 1996 dog owners who have failed to license as required. The Town Clerk's office reminds all dog owners that the *\$10 per dog late fee is now in effect*. This fee is in addition to the normal license fees of \$7 or \$10.

Requests for licenses may be mailed to P.O. Box 89, deposited in the Town Hall drop-off box, or purchased in person. Please be sure that a spaying/neutering certificate is enclosed with your license if your dog has been spayed or neutered since you registered it last, and



# MOVIES & ENTERTAINMENT

Although routine,  
performances carry  
*Excess Baggage*

BY ROB GONSALVES

■ *Excess Baggage*. Starring Alicia Silverstone and Benicio Del Toro. Directed by Marco Brambilla. Running time: 100 minutes. MPAA rating: PG-13. At Cinema 140 in New Bedford.

Rule #73 in Rob's Book of Movie Laws: Christopher Walken makes any movie worth seeing. Following this rule, I've had to sit through some pretty lame films (*The Prophecy*, *Last Man Standing*, *The Funeral*), so I knew to scale down my expectations for *Excess Baggage*, in which he plays a supporting role as the concerned "uncle" (i.e. friend of the family) of Alicia Silverstone. I was happy to discover that the movie, after a bumpy start, turns into a good little comedy with a string of winning performances besides Walken's. But for me, the best moment in the film is still the scene in a diner, when Walken says, in that incomparable Walken accent, "Go get yaself a waffle." See, I'm so easy to please.

The movie itself benefits from low expectations — it's the sort of off-center, wannabe *Something Wild* comedy that critics have little patience for. Silverstone (also the co-producer) is Emily Hope, a bored Seattle teen who enjoys getting herself in trouble just to get the attention of her businessman dad (Jack Thompson). The rather gimmicky premise is that she's faked her own kidnapping and locked herself in her car trunk, waiting to be found and fussed over. What Emily doesn't count on is Vincent (Benicio Del Toro), a car thief who slips into Emily's car and takes off with her still in the trunk.

Vincent is one of those good-bad boys so popular in romances pitched at teen girls: a gentle outlaw, a soulful thief who's saving up his ill-gotten gains to open a karaoke club in Brazil. With a bland pretty-boy as Vincent, *Excess*



*Baggage* would collapse into trivial mush. But Benicio Del Toro, who was the hilariously befuddled Fenster in *The Usual Suspects*, has an oddly casual rhythm all his own — as if he's mildly surprised that he's in a movie — and

Silverstone, who starts off cynical and pouty, relaxes around him. When these two talk, they share a strange but pleasant vibe. On the run from various people (her father, her "uncle," some bad guys chasing Vincent), they fall sideways into love.

None of which may sound particularly exciting or original. But the movie has a satisfying realistic tone. Director Marco Brambilla, whose only previous film was *Demolition Man*, has a feel for the infinite muted blues and grays of Seattle, and he's good at the contrast between the sterile mansion Emily is fleeing and the rumpled, homey motels where she and Vincent hide out. Brambilla shows an appreciative, Jonathan Demme-like touch with diners and warehouses, which feel like real places where real people work, not just locations. Sitting in a diner, Walken looks around and is impressed: "This is classic Americana." Not every comedy would stop to smell the roses that way.

Aside from that, *Excess Baggage* is full of rich supporting performances. Sally Kirkland turns up as a waitress who has her own album of songs for sale on the counter (Walken buys a CD and a tape, not as a plot device — as I expected — but because he loves the songs). The always dependable Harry Connick, Jr. is Vincent's partner in crime, who's in way over his head. Nicholas Turturro, in his funny-crazy *Federal Hill* mode, scores some laughs as one of the guys chasing Vincent. But really the best reason to see it, as I said, is to hear Christopher Walken say "Yes. I'm gonna give my car keys to a car thief."

## MOVIE LISTINGS

### ■ CINEMA 140

376 Hathaway Road, New Bedford, MA.  
Movie Line: 999-6577 / Office: 999-4240.

*Friday (September 5) through Monday (September 11)*

Air Force One (R) — Fri: 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 9:50;

Sat/Sun: 12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 9:50; Mon-Thu: 6:45, 9:15

Excess Baggage (PG-13) — Fri: 2:15, 5:00, 7:15, 9:15;

Sat/Sun: 12:15, 2:15, 5:00, 7:15, 9:15; Mon-Thu: 7:15, 9:15

Money Talks (R) — Fri: 2:45, 4:45, 7:00, 9:00;

Sat/Sun: 12:45, 2:45, 4:45, 7:00, 9:00; Mon-Thu: 7:00, 9:00

Fire Down Below\* (R) — Fri: 2:30, 5:00, 7:15, 9:30;

Sat/Sun: 12:15, 2:30, 5:00, 7:15, 9:30; Mon-Thu: 7:00, 9:15

Hoodlum (R) — Fri: 2:30, 6:30, 9:00;

Sat/Sun: 12:00, 2:30, 6:30, 9:00; Mon-Thu: 6:45, 9:15

Mimic (R) — Fri-Sun: 2:30, 4:45, 9:30; Mon-Thu: 9:00

Conspiracy Theory (R) — Fri: 6:45; Sat/Sun: 12:00, 6:45; Mon-Thu: 6:30

Rocky Horror Picture Show\* (R) — Saturday only at 12:00 midnight!

\*No discount coupons accepted for these shows.

Bargain Matinees: \$4.25 all shows before 6:00 pm!

### ■ GENERAL CINEMA 8

Route 6 and Faunce Corner Road, North Dartmouth, MA.  
Movie Line: 999-3141 / Office: 999-3142

*Friday (September 5) through Thursday (September 11)*

Cop Land (R) — 2:00, 4:40, 7:10, 9:30

G.I. Jane (R) — 1:40, 4:20, 7:00, 9:30

Leave It To Beaver (PG) — 1:30, 3:20, 5:20

A Smile Like Yours (R) — 1:50, 4:30, 7:20, 9:40

George of the Jungle (PG) — 2:00, 4:40, 7:20, 9:20

Picture Perfect (PG-13) — 7:10, 9:20

Event Horizon (R) — 6:50, 9:00

Kull the Conqueror (PG-13) — 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:40

Good Burger (PG) — 1:50, 4:20

She's So Lovely (R) — 1:40, 4:30, 7:00, 9:10

General Cinema Web Site: [www.gctheatres.com](http://www.gctheatres.com)



also a current rabies certificate. Should you have any questions, please call the office at 758-4103. Court action will follow for those licenses not paid.

## Old Colony Regional Voke

### Orientation

On Tuesday evening, September 16, the Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School will be having Orientation for all parents of freshman students. The program will begin at 6:30 pm. During this time parents will receive an overview of Old Colony's philosophies and policies by the administration. Parents will then proceed through their child's entire program.

There will be instructors available for all shops to explain the related and shop programs. This will enable parents to learn of the unique features of each shop. Any questions concerning this program should be directed to Mr. Robert Sherman at 763-8011, extension 127.

### Teacher Training

Two members of the faculty of Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School's House and Mill/Carpentry Department, Robert C. Francis and Robert Avellar, have successfully completed Instructor Training and Skill Proficiencies developed by NACFAM-CADD National Occupational Skill Standards and are Certified DATA-CAD Level I Instructors.

The training took place in New Hampshire at Tech Ed Concepts, Inc., Academic Programs. The Computer-Aided Drawing Program DATA-CAD now offered in the Carpentry Program is a powerful architectural drawing program which offers drawing, estimating, framing, and rendering and will enhance the ability of Old Colony students to obtain pre-approved credit for college courses, along with the knowledge needed for running their own businesses in the future.

### Career Grant

Old Colony was awarded a \$3,500 grant from the Greater New Bedford School to Career Local Partnership.

The money will be used to develop a Career Awareness Center. The center will include computer software which will allow students to access data bases for career and college information.

Guidance counselors Ms. Grandfield, Mr. Mitchell, and Mr. Sherman will aid in the planning and implementation of the Career Center. Students, assisted by their counselors, will be able to research the information necessary for making sound career and college decisions. The grant is a result of Old Colony's participation in the 9-16 Subcommittee of the Local Partnership.

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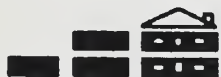
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# Local Police Logs

## ■ ACUSHNET

The following log excerpts are for the week of August 25 through August 31, 1997:

- Perry Hill Road - summons issued (operating with revoked registration)
- Lake Street - humane call/injured animal
- Main Street - traffic accident
- Elaine Way - humane call/injured animal
- Middle Road - disturbance/noise complaint
- Quaker Lane - disturbance/noise complaint
- Keene Road - humane call/injured animal
- Topham Street - domestic disturbance
- Main Street - traffic accident
- Crompton Street - larceny/breaking and entering into motor vehicle
- Boylston Street - breaking and entering/forced entry/adult arrest (larceny over \$250, destruction of property)
- Mattapoissett Road - disturbance/noise complaint
- Lawson Avenue - disturbance/noise complaint
- Main Street - annoying/obscene phone calls
- Carol Street - juvenile arrest (domestic disturbance, assault and battery with dangerous weapon on household member)
- South Main Street - disturbance/noise complaint
- Beech Street - annoying/obscene phone calls
- Balsam Brook Lane - larceny/breaking and entering into motor vehicle
- Holly Avenue - summons

issued (operating with revoked registration, operating uninsured motor vehicle)

- Nye's Lane - domestic disturbance/adult arrest (assault and battery on household member)
- Bow Drive - disturbance/noise complaint
- Budano Drive - vandalism
- Mendall Road - shots fired
- South Main Street - domestic disturbance
- Leonard Street - domestic disturbance
- Mendall Road - shots fired
- Slocum Street - domestic disturbance/adult arrest (assault and battery on household member)
- Boylston Street - vandalism
- Beech Street - disturbance/noise complaint
- Beech Street - disturbance/noise complaint
- South Main Street - motor vehicle accident/summons issued (operating with suspended license)
- Porter Street - disturbance/noise complaint
- Conduit Street - motor vehicle accident/hit and run
- Main Street - prowlers
- Whelden Lane - disturbance/noise complaint
- Middle Road - disturbance/noise complaint
- Laque Street - death by natural causes
- Coury Drive - larceny/breaking and entering into motor vehicle
- Peckham Road - larceny/breaking and entering into motor vehicle
- Main Street - suspicious motor vehicle.

## ■ MARION

The following log excerpts are for the week of August 24 through August 30, 1997:

- South Street - animal complaint
- Wareham Road - officer

wanted

- Creek Road - motor vehicle complaint
- Front Street - larceny/past
- Point Road - animal complaint
- Wareham Road - adult arrest (warrant, disorderly conduct)
- Lewis Street - suspicious motor vehicle
- Wareham Road - officer wanted
- Creek Road - noise complaint
- Front Street - death reported
- Point Road - breaking and entering/past
- Marion Harbor - family disturbance
- Point Road - suspicious activity
- Creek Road - motor vehicle complaint
- Wareham Road - motor vehicle accident/hit and run/property damage
- Point Road - family disturbance/protective custody
- Point Road - noise complaint
- Front Street - animal complaint
- Lewis Street - fraud
- Spring Street - motor vehicle accident/hit and run/property damage
- Route 195 East - adult arrest (default warrant)
- Pitcher Street - animal complaint
- Oakdale Avenue - civil complaint
- Wareham Road - larceny/past
- Holly Lane - animal complaint
- Route 195 East - motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Spring Street - animal complaint
- Pleasant Street - animal complaint.

## ■ MATTAPOISETT

The following log excerpts are for the week of September 1 through September 7, 1997:

- Fairhaven Road - suspicious activity
- Fairhaven Road - adult arrest (warrant)
- Fairhaven Road - general disturbance/person yelling
- Water Street - medical assistance
- County Road - suspicious activity
- Aucoot Road - motor vehicle violations
- Brandt Island Road - dirt bikes on railroad bed
- Industrial Drive - suspicious activity
- Aucoot Road - barking dog complaint.

## ■ ROCHESTER

The following log excerpts are for the week of August 24 through September 1, 1997:

- Mattapoissett Road - loud party
- Mary's Pond Road - suspicious motor vehicle
- Vaughan Hill Road - officer wanted
- Clapp Road - suspicious activity
- Mayflower Lane - suspicious activity
- Mary's Pond Road - road closed
- Mendall Road - larceny
- New Bedford Road - suspicious activity
- Pine Street - adult arrest
- Mendall Road - suspicious motor vehicle
- Mary's Pond Road - wires down
- Clapp Road - suspicious motor vehicle
- Wordell Street - suspicious motor vehicle
- Parlowtown Road - vandalism
- Parlowtown Road - dog complaint
- Vaughan Hill Road - speeding complaint
- Knight and Look Campground - adult arrest
- Snipatuit Road - noise complaint.



### **Diversity Group**

The newest student organization on the Old Colony Tech campus had a very successful initial year. Over 30 students joined the vocational-technical school's Diversity Group lead by advisor Casimiro Santos.

Sanctioned as a new organization by the District School Committee last fall, the membership recently elected a slate of officers for next year lead by President Michele Rocha of Carver. Also elected to serve were Vice President Tanya Ramos (Lakeville), Secretary Kammie Pacheco (Acushnet) and Treasurer Allison Charest (Rochester). Old Colony's Diversity Group will continue to take a leadership role in promoting multi-cultural awareness and equity issues.

### **IMS Project**

Old Colony Regional Voke has been designated by the Department of Education as an Associate District for the new IMS (Information Management System) project. This project is the development of an on-line electronic transfer system between DOE and school districts to eliminate much of the paperwork that is generated. Old Colony's role will be to help refine the software and processes developed prior to the statewide release of the DOE IMS project. The statewide release is tentatively scheduled for the summer of 1998.

### **Marion's Sippican Seniors**

#### **Senior Drop-In**

The Senior Drop-In Center in the Congregational Community Center offers Bridge on Tuesdays (Fleurette Hotte at 295-7920), and Thursdays (Bob Bunnell at 748-1603). The second and fourth Tuesdays are scheduled in various members' homes.

Whist parties are also offered at 1:00 pm and on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month — please contact Natalie Sullivan at 748-1467.

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### **Acushnet Dog Licenses**

Acushnet Town By-Law Article VII states that all dogs over three (3) months old must be licensed and have a valid rabies certificate. Dog owners who fail to license any dog could be subject to a fine of twenty-five (\$25) dollars. Dog licenses are available during regular working hours in the Acushnet Town Clerk's office. The cost is \$6 for each spayed or neutered dog.

### **Acushnet Town Clerk**

#### **Business Certificates**

Acushnet business owners — under  
Massachusetts General Laws (Chapter 110, Section 5), it



# Regional Lunch Menus

## ■ ACUSHNET ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

**Monday, September 8** — Hamburger on a bun, mashed potato, peas, or ham and soup, milk, dessert.

**Tuesday, September 9** — Spaghetti and meatballs, green beans, or turkey and soup, milk, dessert.

**Wednesday, September 10** — Chicken nuggets, rice, carrots, or bologna and soup, milk, dessert.

**Thursday, September 11** — Baked ham, mashed potato, peas, or turkey and soup, milk, dessert.

**Friday, September 12** — Pizzeria pizza with linguica, pasta salad, milk, dessert.

## ■ COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION

**Monday, September 8** — Cold roast beef, potato salad, romaine lettuce and tomato salad, hamburger roll, fresh nectarine.

**Tuesday, September 9** — Baked ham with raisin sauce, sweet potato, green beans, white bread, pineapple tidbits.

**Wednesday, September 10** — Meatballs with gravy and noodles, mixed vegetables, dinner roll, orange cream pudding.

**Thursday, September 11** — Chicken breast with gravy, wild and long grain rice, broccoli, rye bread, fresh fruit.

**Friday, September 12** — Beef vegetable soup, five cheese lasagna, California blend vegetables, branola bread, applesauce cake with raisins.

## ■ CENTER SCHOOL MATTAPOISETT

**Monday, September 8** — Hot dog on a roll, or Steak'Um, oven fries, veggie sticks, fruit, milk.

**Tuesday, September 9** — Chicken fajita pocket, or toasted cheese, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

**Wednesday, September 10** — Spaghetti with meat sauce, or rib-a-que, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

**Thursday, September 11** —

Hamburger or cheeseburger, spicy fries, veggie sticks, pickles, fruit, milk.

**Friday, September 12** — Cheese or linguica pizza, or tuna pocket, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

## ■ FAIRHAVEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

**Monday, September 8** — Meatball sub, grated mozzarella, Steak'Um and cheese sub, chicken pattie club, potato puffs, baked beans, chilled applesauce, blueberry jello with topping.

**Tuesday, September 9** — American chop suey, grated mozzarella, hamburger/cheeseburger, shaved ham and cheese, green beans, tossed salad, chilled pineapple, peanut butter brownie.

**Wednesday, September 10** — Chicken teriyaki dippers, mac rib sub, bologna and lettuce sub, rice pilaf, applesauce, broccoli with cheese sauce, chocolate chip cookie.

**Thursday, September 11** — Dinoburger/cheeseburger, shaved turkey club, hot ham and cheese, fat free mini pretzels, apple, carrot sticks, fruit roll-up.

**Friday, September 12** — Cheese pizza, sausage pizza, baked pork chop with gravy, whipped potatoes, peas, chilled pineapple, oatmeal cookie.

## ■ FORD MIDDLE SCHOOL ACUSHNET

**Monday, September 8** — Hamburger on a bun, mashed potato, peas, or ham and soup, milk, dessert.

**Tuesday, September 9** — Spaghetti and meatballs, green beans, or turkey and soup, milk, dessert.

**Wednesday, September 10** — Chicken nuggets, rice, carrots, or bologna and soup, milk, dessert.

**Thursday, September 11** — Baked ham, mashed potato, peas, or turkey and soup, milk, dessert.

**Friday, September 12** — Pizzeria pizza with linguica, pasta salad, milk, dessert.

## ■ HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL FAIRHAVEN

**Monday, September 8** — Meatball sub, grated mozzarella, Steak'Um and cheese sub, chicken pattie club, potato puffs, baked beans, chilled applesauce, blueberry jello with topping.

**Tuesday, September 9** — American chop suey, grated mozzarella, hamburger/cheeseburger, shaved

ham and cheese, green beans, tossed salad, chilled pineapple, peanut butter brownie.

**Wednesday, September 10** — Chicken teriyaki dippers, mac rib sub, bologna and lettuce sub, rice pilaf, applesauce, broccoli with cheese sauce, chocolate chip cookie.

**Thursday, September 11** — Baked lasagna, hamburger/cheeseburger, shaved turkey club, hot ham and cheese, tossed salad, apple, carrot sticks, fruit roll-up.

**Friday, September 12** — Cheese pizza, sausage pizza, baked pork chop with gravy, whipped potatoes, peas, chilled pineapple, oatmeal cookie.

## ■ MEMORIAL SCHOOL ROCHESTER

**Monday, September 8** — Hot dog on a roll, or Steak'Um, oven fries, veggie sticks, fruit, milk.

**Tuesday, September 9** — Chicken fajita pocket, or toasted cheese, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

**Wednesday, September 10** — Spaghetti with meat sauce, or rib-a-que, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

**Thursday, September 11** — Hamburger or cheeseburger, spicy fries, veggie sticks, pickles, fruit, milk.

**Friday, September 12** — Cheese or linguica pizza, or tuna pocket, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

## ■ OLD COLONY REGIONAL VOC-TECH HIGH SCHOOL

**Monday, September 8** — Juice, chicken nuggets, French fries, bread, carrots, marble cake.

**Tuesday, September 9** — Baked ham, mashed potatoes, peas, applesauce, muffin square, cookie.

**Wednesday, September 10** — Pasta with meat sauce, green beans, roll, mixed fruit.

**Thursday, September 11** — Italian grinder with lettuce and tomato, macaroni salad, vegetable sticks, mixed fruit.

**Friday, September 12** — Seafood salad, or pizza, potato chips, mixed vegetables, assorted dessert.

## ■ OLD HAMMONDTOWN SCHOOL MATTAPOISETT

**Monday, September 8** — Hot dog on a roll, or Steak'Um, oven fries, veggie sticks, fruit, milk.

**Tuesday, September 9** — Chicken fajita pocket, or toasted cheese, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

**Wednesday, September 10** — Spaghetti with meat sauce, or rib-a-que, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

**Thursday, September 11** — Hamburger or cheeseburger, spicy fries, veggie sticks, pickles, fruit, milk.

**Friday, September 12** — Cheese or linguica pizza, or tuna pocket, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

## ■ SIPPICAN SCHOOL MARION

**Monday, September 8** — Hot dog on a roll, or Steak'Um, oven fries, veggie sticks, fruit, milk.

**Tuesday, September 9** — Chicken fajita pocket, or toasted cheese, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

**Wednesday, September 10** — Spaghetti with meat sauce, or rib-a-que, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

**Thursday, September 11** — Hamburger or cheeseburger, spicy fries, veggie sticks, pickles, fruit, milk.

**Friday, September 12** — Cheese or linguica pizza, or tuna pocket, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

## ■ ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL FAIRHAVEN

**Monday, September 8** — Meatball sub, grated mozzarella, Steak'Um and cheese sub, chicken pattie club, potato puffs, baked beans, chilled applesauce, blueberry jello with topping.

**Tuesday, September 9** — American chop suey, grated mozzarella, hamburger/cheeseburger, shaved ham and cheese, green beans, tossed salad, chilled pineapple, peanut butter brownie.

**Wednesday, September 10** — Chicken teriyaki dippers, mac rib sub, bologna and lettuce sub, rice pilaf, applesauce, broccoli with cheese sauce, chocolate chip cookie.

**Thursday, September 11** — Dinoburger/cheeseburger, shaved turkey club, hot ham and cheese, fat free mini pretzels, apple, carrot sticks, fruit roll-up.

**Friday, September 12** — Cheese pizza, sausage pizza, baked pork chop with gravy, whipped potatoes, peas, chilled pineapple, oatmeal cookie.



states: "Any person conducting business in the Commonwealth whether individually or as a partnership, shall file in the Clerk's Office of that town a certificate stating the full name and residence of each person conducting such business."

The fee for this certificate shall be \$20 for a four-year period. Violation to this law shall be punishable by a fine of not more than \$300 for each month of violation. Business owners are urged to contact the Acushnet Town Clerk to file a business certificate.

### Fairhaven High School

#### *Renaissance Logo*

Fairhaven High School has a Renaissance logo. The Renaissance Program sponsored an art contest for the purpose of establishing a logo to be used specifically for Renaissance. There were more than a dozen entries, and after much deliberation, the winner was announced at the Renaissance get-together. Senior Joe Santo was awarded \$50 worth of art supplies for his rendition of Michelangelo's "Creation" which is the essence of the new logo. Congratulations, Joe!

### Mattapoisett Recycling Reminder

The Mattapoisett Board of Health would like to remind all residents to crush all plastic milk and water jugs before putting them out for recycling. The newspapers should be left in paper bags that can also be recycled or tied with a string. Updated recycling schedules were mailed last week.

If you have any questions regarding recycling, please call the BOH office at 758-4112.

### Acushnet Council on Aging

#### *Senior Center*

The Senior Center is open daily from 8:00 am until 2:00 pm. Meals will be served daily Monday through Friday at 11:45 am. Anyone in need of transportation should call 998-0280 for a ride.

#### *Day Trips*

- September 16 - Venus De Milo for lunch and vaudeville act. Choice of chicken or scrod for \$21 per person.
- November 9 - Hu Ke Lau for lunch and show (Christmas in Hawaii) with choice of prime rib or scrod for \$32 per person.

#### *Rep. Koczera*

Representative Koczera will meet his constituents at the Acushnet Town Hall on the first Friday of each month.

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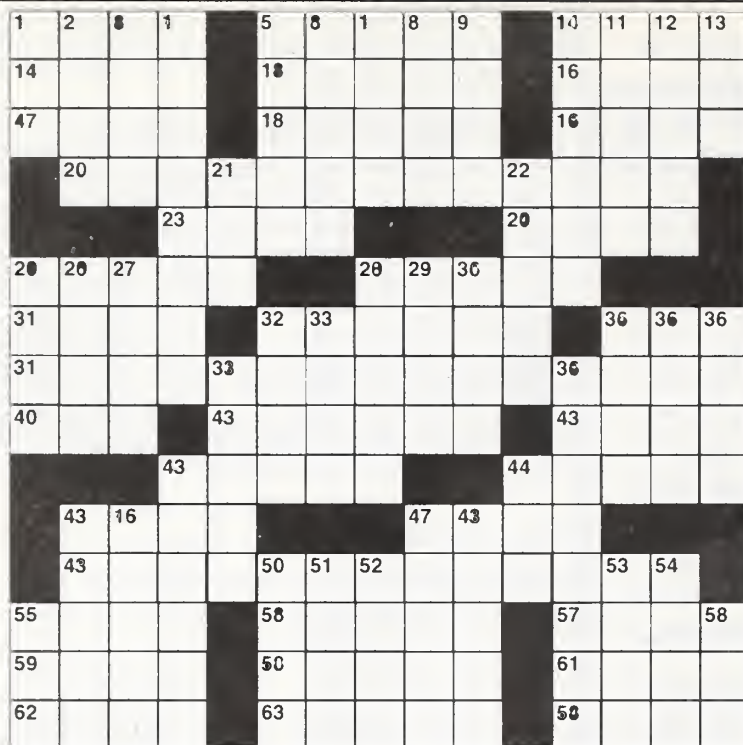
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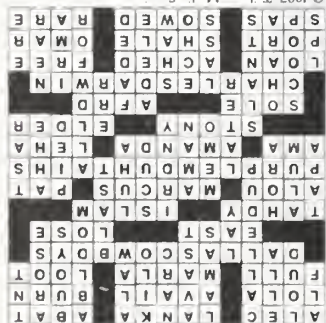
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## This Week's Horoscope

by Linda Black

**Aries (March 21-April 19).** Don't let friends interfere with work. Don't believe the stories you hear. Stay home to nurse a friend who needs attention. Romance looks good.

**Taurus (April 20-May 20).** Get a job or ask for a raise. Go shopping for work-related items and books. If you're looking for a new love, ask a friend to set you up.

**Gemini (May 21-June 21).** You're in fine form. Fall in love again, perhaps with a foreigner. Don't get between two who are sparring — let them work it out.

**Cancer (June 22-July 22).** Listen to the grapevine for good news about your friend. A family member helps get what you've been needing. You're lucky, but clash with a loved one.

**Leo (July 23-Aug. 22).** Study with a friend and learn more than you thought possible. Stop by the clinic and put your fears to rest.

**Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22).** Get a job or ask for a raise. Get to work on time and improve your status. Console one who clashes with authority.

**Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23).** A female supervisor can make your life rough. Don't be snotty. There's a big clash coming, as your career demands conflict with your love life.

**Scorpio (Oct. 24-Nov. 21).** Counsel a friend with the jitters. Help make decisions. A long walk is calming. Travel's fine, but work could interfere.

**Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21).** A talkative partner has the winning idea. Now that you know how, finish the assignment. Buy something to keep track of details.

**Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19).** You're really busy, but the work should go well. Finish up a report. Get professional help if necessary.

**Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18).** Only make commitments with people you've known for ages. The workload's intense. You need the money, so keep going.

**Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20).** Get something you want through a friend. Set a romantic interlude. Don't stay out late or trouble could develop.

**If You're Having a Birthday This Week:** Anticipate changes. Decide what you want to have happen. Go back to a better way. You already know what it is.



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### Senior ID's

Senior ID photographs will be taken daily by appointment only. ID pictures are taken for demand and response service for SRTA.

### Rochester Zoning Enforcement

Attention Rochester residents: Rochester's Zoning Enforcement Officer, Bruce A. Maksy, Sr., will investigate any zoning violation notice which is submitted in writing and signed. Please be advised that anonymous notices and letters will not be addressed.

### Rochester Senior Travel Group

Following are day trips planned for the Rochester Senior Travel Group. All trips are open to everyone. Please call Kay Settele at 995-1971 for more information:

- October 15 - Delaney House and Yankee

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- November 5 - Thanksgiving Salute to America,

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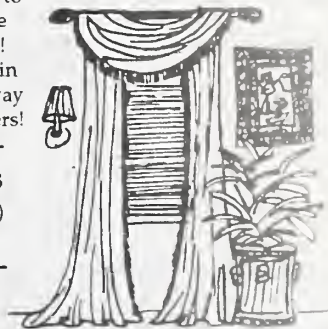
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<p><b>TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF SELECTMEN INVITATION TO BID</b></p> <p>The Marion Board of Selectmen invites sealed bids for the repair of the south dock of Old Landing, including the placement of a wale and replacement of 18 (eighteen) fender piles. The project cost is estimated to be \$13,000.00 (thirteen thousand dollars).</p> <p>Complete specifications may be obtained at the Selectmen's Office, Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street, Marion, Massachusetts 02738. Sealed bids marked "Repair of Old Landing" will be received at the Selectmen's Office, Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street, Marion, Massachusetts 02738 until 2:00 pm on Monday, September 15 (fifteenth), 1997 at which time bids will be publicly opened and read.</p> <p>Each bid shall be submitted in accordance with instructions to bidders. No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of thirty (30) days, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, after the actual date of the opening of the bids.</p> <p>The Selectmen reserve the right to reject any and all bids or to accept the bid deemed to be in the best interest of the Town. The contractor must comply with Chapter 149 of the Mass. General Laws. The Town of Marion is an equal opportunity employer.</p> <p>Loretta B. Schaefer, Chairman Marion Board of Selectmen 08/29, 09/05</p>	<p><b>DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION WATERWAYS REGULATION PROGRAM</b></p> <p>Notice of License Application pursuant to G.L. Chapter 91</p> <p>Waterways License Application Number W96-5494</p> <p>Paul R. &amp; Mary K. Callan Notification Date: September 8, 1997</p> <p>Public notice is hereby given of the application by Paul R. &amp; Mary K. Callan to maintain an existing seawall and groin at 2 Point Road in the Municipality of Mattapoisett in and over the waters of Buzzards Bay.</p> <p>The proposed use of the structure(s) or fill is shoreline stabilization for the protection of existing structures and is a water-dependent project.</p> <p>The Department will consider all written comments submitted within 30 days subsequent to the "Notification Date" in order to decide whether to grant authorization for the proposed activity pursuant to G.L. Chapter 91. A public hearing may be held upon request by the municipal official. Furthermore, a municipality, ten citizen group or any aggrieved person that has submitted written comments may also petition to intervene to become a party before the close of the comment period. Failure to submit such petition will result in the waiver of any right to an adjudicatory hearing. Further information regarding this application may be obtained by contacting the Division at (617) 292-5695. Plans and documents for this application are on file with the Department for public viewing at the address below. Written comments should be addressed to: Jeffrey R. Martin, Acting Program Chief, DEP/Waterways Regulation Program, One Winter Street, 8th Floor, Boston, MA 02108. 09/05</p>	<p><b>DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION WATERWAYS REGULATION PROGRAM</b></p> <p>Notice of License Application pursuant to G.L. Chapter 91</p> <p>Waterways License Application Number W96-5495</p> <p>Gerald P. &amp; Audrey B. Beaudoin Notification Date: September 8, 1997</p> <p>Public notice is hereby given of the application by Gerald P. &amp; Audrey B. Beaudoin to maintain an existing stone armor and seawall at 1 Point Road in the Municipality of Mattapoisett in and over the waters of Buzzards Bay.</p> <p>The proposed use of the structure is shoreline stabilization for the protection of existing structures and is a water-dependent project.</p> <p>The Department will consider all written comments submitted within 30 days subsequent to the "Notification Date" in order to decide whether to grant authorization for the proposed activity pursuant to G.L. Chapter 91. A public hearing may be held upon request by the municipal official. Furthermore, a municipality, ten citizen group or any aggrieved person that has submitted written comments may also petition to intervene to become a party before the close of the comment period. Failure to submit such petition will result in the waiver of any right to an adjudicatory hearing. Further information regarding this application may be obtained by contacting the Division at (617) 292-5695. Plans and documents for this application are on file with the Department for public viewing at the address below. Written comments should be addressed to: Jeffrey R. Martin, Acting Program Chief, DEP/Waterways Regulation Program, One Winter Street, 8th Floor, Boston, MA 02108. 09/05</p>
<p><b>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</b></p> <p>The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 8, 1997 at 7:30pm in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on the Notice of Intent submitted by Hollywoods West Realty Trust, c/o John Smolak, 55 Rowes Wharf, Boston, MA 02210.</p> <p>The project is to construct a residential home. The project is located at Holly Woods West, and is further identified as lot 6 on the plan approved by Mattapoisett Planning Board on July 15, 1997.</p> <p>Conservation Chairman 08/29</p>	<p><b>TOWN OF ROCHESTER PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</b></p> <p>Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on September 23, 1997 at 7:30pm in the conference room of the Town Hall, 1 Constitution Way, regarding the Proposed Flexible Development By-law.</p> <p>Copies of the Proposed Flexible Development By-Law are available in the Selectmen's Office between the hours of 8:30am and 4:30pm, Monday through Friday.</p> <p>Janice M. Crook, Chairman 09/05, 09/12</p>	<p><b>TRIVIALITIES</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. How many feature films have been made based on the Charlotte Bronte novel "Jane Eyre"?</li> <li>2. In what amusement park was the shark on the loose in the third "Jaws" film?</li> <li>3. Who played "Honey Fitz" Fitzgerald in the TV movie "Johnny, We Hardly Knew You"?</li> <li>4. "The Joker Is Wild," starring Frank Sinatra, is based on the life of what nightclub performer?</li> <li>5. "Kiss Me Kate" is based on what Shakespeare play?</li> <li>6. Who directed Timothy Bottoms, Jeff Bridges and Cybill Shepherd in the 1971 film "The Last Picture Show"?</li> </ol> <p style="text-align: right;">Bogdanovich: "The Taming of the Shrew"; 6. Peter Burgess Meredith; 4. Joe E. Lewis; 5. 1. Three; 2. Sea World, Florida; 3.</p>
<p><b>TOWN OF ROCHESTER PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</b></p> <p>Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on the proposed zoning by-law change for George E. Chase of 16 Cranberry Highway, Plan 17, Lot 43, Rochester, MA.</p> <p>The hearing will be conducted on September 23, 1997 at 7:15pm in the conference room of the Rochester Town Hall, 1 Constitution Way, Rochester, MA.</p> <p>Janice M. Crook, Chairman 09/05, 09/12</p>		



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### Fairhaven Fishermen's Association

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the Fairhaven Fishermen's Association's monthly meetings. Meetings are held on the last Wednesday of every month at The Fairhaven Varsity Club, 9 Adams Street, in Fairhaven beginning at 7:00 pm.

The Fairhaven Fishermen's Association was recently formed by concerned citizens working together to get a Seed Program established in the Town of Fairhaven to help replenish the waters. The group's agenda includes:

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Holy Spirit, you who solve all problems, who light all roads so I can attain my goals, you who give me the divine gifts to forgive and forget all evil against me, in this short prayer, to thank you for all things and confirm once again that I never want to be separated from you, even in spite of all material illusions. I wish to be with you in eternal glory, thank you for your mercy towards me and mine. The person must say this prayer for three consecutive days. After three days, the favor requested will be granted, even if it may appear difficult. This prayer must be published immediately after the favor is granted without mentioning the favor. Only your initials shall appear at the bottom. M.T.L.

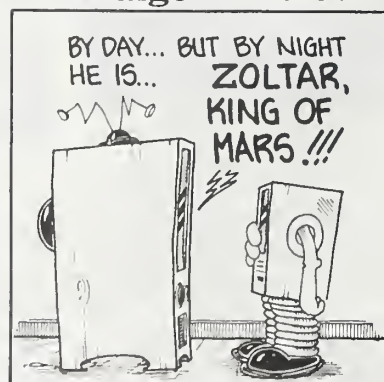
May the Blessed Virgin Mary Mother be praised adored and glorified throughout the whole world forever and ever. Amen

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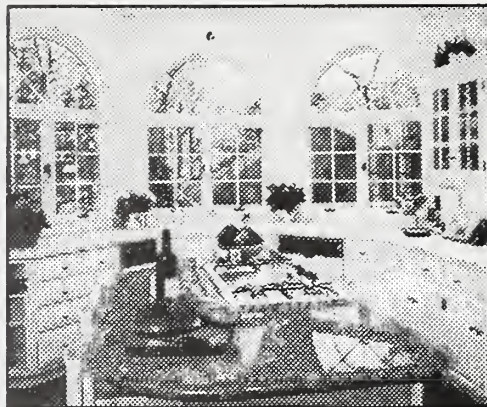
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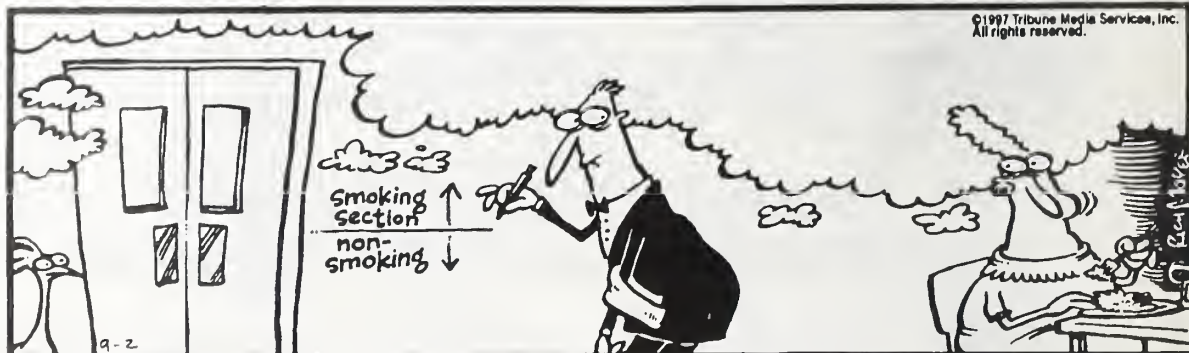
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## Rochester Town Clerk

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## Fairhaven SHINE Counselor

The Fairhaven Council on Aging SHINE Counselor is Ms. Irene Huggins. The COA's SHINE volunteer will be available on Thursday from 12:30 to 3:30, or by appointment. Please call 979-4029 for further information, or to make an appointment.

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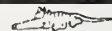
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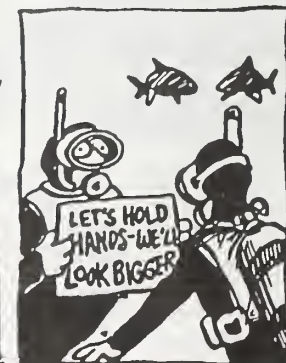
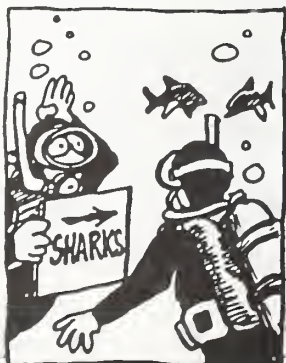
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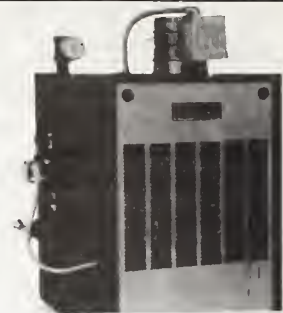
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		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
September 5:	Fri.	10:47	11:03	3:47	4:10
September 6:	Sat.	11:28	11:44	4:20	4:47
September 7:	Sun.	...	12:12	4:56	5:28
September 8:	Mon.	12:29	12:59	5:38	6:16
September 9:	Tues.	1:22	1:55	6:26	7:12
September 10:	Wed.	2:22	2:55	7:23	8:17
September 11:	Thur.	3:26	3:57	8:30	9:29
September 12:	Fri.	4:27	4:56	9:42	10:39
September 13:	Sat.	5:25	5:51	10:54	11:42
September 14:	Sun.	6:19	6:44	11:59	...
September 15:	Mon.	7:10	7:34	12:36	12:57
September 16:	Tues.	8:00	8:24	1:27	1:51
September 17:	Wed.	8:49	9:13	2:15	2:43
September 18:	Thur.	9:39	10:03	3:01	3:33
September 19:	Fri.	10:29	10:53	3:48	4:24
September 20:	Sat.	11:21	11:46	4:34	5:16
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September 22:	Mon.	12:41	1:12	6:14	7:15
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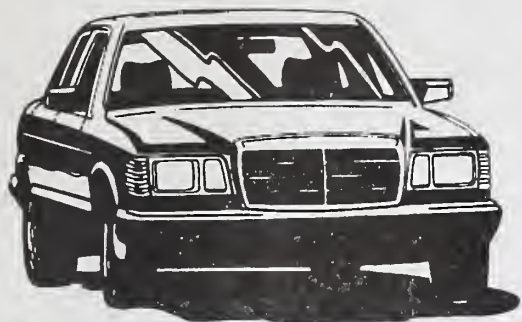
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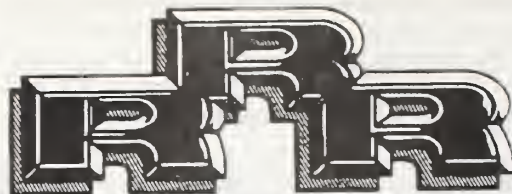
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